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In re Application of

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DECISION ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under the unintentional provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed July 15, 2011, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The application became abandoned for failure to timely file corrected drawings on or before February 1, 2010, as required by the Notice of Allowability, mailed October 30, 2009, which set a statutory period for reply of three (3) months. Accordingly, the application became abandoned on February 2, 2010. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed February 25, 2010.

The petition satisfies the requirements of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that petitioner has supplied (1) the reply in the form of replacement drawings, (2) the petition fee of \$1620; and (3) a proper statement of unintentional delay.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-6735.

All other inquiries should be directed to the Office of Data Management at (571) 272-4200.

The application is being referred to the Office of Data Management for review of the reply and processing and into a patent.

/Diane C. Goodwyn/ Diane C. Goodwyn Petitions Examiner Office of Petitions